ALL LOCAL. ALL THE TIME.

WINNSBORO FARMERS MARKET





MEET YOUR 2022 WFM BOARD

andie miller carrie bell chris miller ruth townsend troy howard

AND FILL IN BOSS, GEORGE!



WHY WE COURT OUR MARKET

AND YOU WILL TOO!

13 years strong & growing like never before We have the friendliest folks around We believe in what we do & we work at doing it better Award-winning:

- 2018 County Line Best Produce
- 2019 Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Business of the Year
- 2020 Farmland Trust Most Essential FM 2nd in Texas, 15th Nationwide
- 2021 Farmland Trust Favorite FM 2nd in Texas, 25th Nationwide



WHY CUSTOMERS COURT OUR MARKET

Their food dollars support their own community

They value EXPERIENCES...connecting with their producers & neighbors in a social setting

They are more educated than ever & want to make smart choices based on transparency of sources & practices, for freshness & health

HOW YOU CAN HELP KEEP OUR MARKET GREAT!



CONSISTENCY

QUALITY

VARIETY

BRANDING

COLLABORATION



CONSISTENCY

SHOW UP!

GET TO KNOW CUSTOMERS & BUILD TRUST BE THERE WHEN THEY COME LOOKING FOR YOU

FREQUENT ABSENCES MAY RESULT IN LOSS OF DESIGNATED BOOTH SPACE

QUALITY



UNSATISFIED
CUSTOMERS DON'T
COME BACK FOR
MORE

BAD FOR YOU

BAD FOR THE MARKET





THE STANDOUT OF ALL GREAT MARKETS

TOO MUCH OF A GOOD THING IS STILL TOO MUCH

HOW CAN YOUR PRODUCTS STAND OUT?

POSSIBILITY OF JURYING SIMILAR PRODUCTS THIS YEAR

BRANDING



CUSTOMERS WANT
TO KNOW WHO
THEY'RE
SUPPORTING



BE MEMORABLE



TELL YOUR STORY &
BE CLEAR ABOUT
YOUR PRACTICES

making these connections creates loyal, consistent customers



COLLABORATION

VS COMPETITION

WORK TOGETHER

LEARN FROM & SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER

VENDOR PACKET OVERVIEW



REGISTRATION & FEES

PERMITTED ITEMS

FOOD SAFETY & LABELING

BOOTH SPACES

VENDOR RESPONSIBILITIES

APPLICATION & FEES



APPLICATION

must be signed & all sale items listed

FEES

\$125 for the entire season OR \$15 per Saturday special rates removed, non-refundable

CO-OP SPACES

may be shared with another registered vendor



WHAT CAN I SELL?

WHEN IN DOUBT, ASK!

FARM PRODUCTS
SPECIALTIES
SMALL AGRICULTURAL ANIMALS
AGRICULTURAL CRAFTS
OTHER CRAFTS - 1/3 OF BOOTH
NO RE-SELLING....EVER!

FOOD SAFETY & LABELING



VARY ACCORDING TO PRODUCT TYPE

STUDY STATE & FEDERAL RESTRICTIONS & PROTOCOLS

FOOD HANDLERS CARD

ALLERGENS LISTED

MORE DETAILS AT **TEXASCOTTAGE** FOODLAW.COM

REQUIRED FOR ALL FOOD PRODUCTS, BUT VARY **ACCORDING TO TYPE**

DETAILED INSTRUCTION WILL BE EMAILED TO ALL **APPLICANTS**

PRODUCTS

ALL APPLICABLE **LICENSING & LAWS**

CONSIDER LIABILITY INSURANCE

BOOTH SPACES



9 X 12 FOOT

Cables for hanging banners
No signs in customer walkway

ASSIGNED

Once designated, we will try to keep consistent, but changes may be needed especially for those who don't attend regularly

Check your emails!

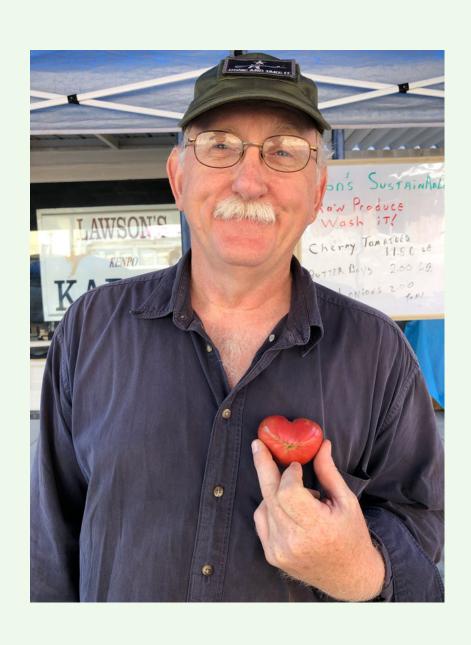
HOUSEKEEPING

Arrive on time & park before setting up Bring cords, bungees, etc.

TIPS FOR GREAT SALES & SMOOTH MARKET DAYS

market your biz during the week too! bring plenty of change/small bills & bags (paper preferred!) mark prices & make them easy to exchange (\$5 per basket) packaging - think of single vs family consumers don't block yours or others' goods keep your display tidy & looking full practice good record-keeping for sales use clear & unique signage samples smile!

Want to be a great vendor? Be a nice human.



KINDNESS GOES A LONG WAY

WITH YOUR CUSTOMERS

WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS

WITH ME



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LET'S MAKE THIS THE BEST SEASON YET!

PAYMENTS & APPLICATIONS AT THE BACK RECEIPTS & LABELING INFO WILL BE EMAILED AS PROCESSED